The Honorable Michael K. Powell Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Powell:

I do not want Dish Network to merge with Directv. I cannot get cable where I live and so my only option is Dish Network or Directv for cable type broadcasts. By allowing these companies to merge you will be allowing them to get rid of the competition and then the rates will rise rapidly just as the cable rates have risen since deregulation. Also the service will become terrible and I think that this merger in the end will be detrimental to the companies involved, their customers, and the nation as a whole. Thanks

Sincerely,

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